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Applicant : Peter Schulter
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Title : **ADDRESS RESOLUTION PROTOCOL SYSTEM AND METHOD IN A VIRTUAL NETWORK**

Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
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RESPONSE

In response to the Office Action dated March 25, 2005, please amend and reconsider the above-identified application as follows:
Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of the claims, which begin on page 2 of this paper.
Remarks/Arguments begin on page 6 of this paper.